In the Indiana Supreme Court



IN THE MATTER OF)	TIGHT!
THE APPOINTMENT OF)	
ROBERT BROWN AS) Case No.	13500-0507-ms-339
SENIOR JUDGE IN THE)	
CRAWFORD CIRCUIT COURT)	

ORDER APPOINTING SENIOR JUDGE

The presiding judge of the Crawford Circuit Court has requested the appointment of Senior Judge Robert Brown for service in that court for 2005, pursuant to Ind. Code §33-4-8-1.

This Court adopted revisions to Administrative Rule 5 on December 3, 2003, which made certain changes to the senior judge program in recognition of the importance of senior judges to the administration of justice in Indiana trial courts. Accordingly, we find that the Crawford Circuit Court has demonstrated the need for additional judicial resources based on this court's most recent weighted caseload statistics. Senior Judge Robert Brown has been certified as a senior judge by the Judicial Nominating Commission for the remainder of the calendar year 2005 pursuant to Ind. Code §33-2.1-4-17. This Court may re-examine the appointment made herein at a later date in light of weighted caseload statistics and other circumstances, and make adjustments accordingly.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Senior Judge Robert Brown is appointed to serve in the requesting trial court at the discretion of the requesting judge, effective July 15, 2005. This appointment shall remain in effect until December 31, 2005. The requesting trial court shall utilize no more than twenty (20) senior judge service days in the aggregate during the period ending December 31, 2005, and it shall be incumbent upon the presiding judge of that court to ensure that no more than twenty (20) senior judge service days are used. Pursuant to Ind. Code §33-4-8-5, the senior judge appointed by this Court in this Order may not be compensated as senior judge for more than one hundred (100) days in the aggregate during the 2005 calendar year.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a certified copy of this order to the Honorable K. Lynn Lopp, presiding judge of the Crawford Circuit Court; to the Honorable Robert Brown; to the clerk of the Crawford Circuit Court, for entry in the Record of Judgments and Orders; to the Indiana Judicial Center; to the Judicial Qualifications Commission; and to the Division of State Court Administration, Payroll Section.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana this 25⁺ day of July, 2005.

Randall T. Shepard
Chief Justice of Indiana

I, David C. Lewis, Clerk of the Indiana Supreme Count do hereby certify, pursuant to Ind. Code 33-5-40-41 that the foregoing is a full true, complete and cornect copy of the original as the same appears upon the record of said Court, and in my custody as Clerk. In testimony whereof I have subscribed by name and affixed the seal of said Court this as day of Court, and court this as day of Court, and court this as day of Court, and court this as day of Court and court an

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